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From:

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Friday, February 26, 2016 10:13 AM

To:

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City BZA March 2nd Meeting take-two

Subject: Attachments:

City BZA Case 02-16 V. 2814 Hulman Street.pdf; City BZA March 2nd Agenda.pdf

Michelle,

Attached is a copy of the staff report for the 2814 Hulman Street variance petition. Please forward the Case file and agenda to the members of the City Council.

Thank You

Ryan G. Wickens 812-462-3354

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CITY OF TERRE HAUTE BOARD OF ZONING APPEALS STAFF REPORT

DATE:

March 2nd, 2016

CASE NO.:

City BZA 02-16 V

LOCATION:

2814 Hulman Street, Terre Haute, IN 47803

PETITIONER:

M & P Properties Group LLC

CONTACT:

Richard J. Shagley II

ADDRESS:

500 Ohio St. PO Box 9849, Terre Haute, IN 47808

REQUEST: M & P Properties Group LLC, the owner of the property located 2814 Hulman Street has submitted a petition from Section 10-187 to reduce the required minimum lot size per dwelling unit in an R-2 Two-Family Residence Zoning District.

REPORT SUMMARY:

M & P Properties Group LLC, is the owner of a 5.19 acre parcel located on the northwest corner of South 29th Street and Hulman Street. The property is currently zoned R-1, Single-Family Residence and application has been submitted to rezone this parcel from R-1, Single-Family Residence to R-2, Two-Family Residence. The Petitioner is looking to develop this 5.19 acre tract of land into a 17 lot Two-Family Subdivision. Lots 1 through 3 will have direct access onto Putman Street, while lots 4 through 7 will have direct access onto 29th Street. Lots 8 through 16 will have direct access onto a dedicated public street (unnamed at this time) with a right-of-way width of 60 ft. and a pavement width of 24 ft. Lot 17 will be unbuildable and will serve as the storm water retention basin.

The variance application that has been submitted is a request to reduce the required minimum lot area for the 16 buildable lots within the proposed R-2, Two-Family Subdivision known as the M & P Subdivision. The Vigo County Area Plan Commission has the sole authority of directing the development pattern for all of Vigo County including the incorporated areas. The Subdivision Control Ordinance for Vigo County specifies in Section 10 Lot Specification 1, b. that the layout of new plats shall conform to any local zoning ordinances, building and housing codes, and all other applicable laws of the appropriate jurisdictions in effect.

The petitioner is seeking a variance to reduce the required 6,600 Sq. Ft. minimum lot area per dwelling unit or 13,200 Sq. Ft. per duplex, to 3,300 Sq. Ft, of lot area per dwelling unit or 6,600 per Two-Family Dwelling. The Floor Area Ratio (F.A.R.) Table 8 (Exhibit A) specifies the minimum floor and lot area for all dwelling units within the City of Terre Haute. The City BZA has addressed the required minimum lot size for Duplex's and Two-Family dwellings numerous times. When looking at the F.A.R. Table (Exhibit A) one will see the required Floor Area for each dwelling unit (D.U.) in the middle column and the associated lot area in the right column for each dwelling unit (D.U.).

Let's start by looking at the Floor Area Ratio (FAR) Table 8 (Exhibit A) the required Floor Area Ratio and Minimum Lot Area and gather some facts on zoning classification and density. The R-1, Single-Family Residence District allows two different development density ratios one at 0.3 or 30% lot coverage with an associated lot area of 7,200 Sq. Ft. and a minimum dwelling floor area of 1,100 Sq. Ft. or 0.5 or 50% lot coverage with an associated lot area of 6,600 Sq. Ft. and a minimum dwelling floor area of 768 Sq. Ft. The R-2, Two-Family Residence District also has two different development density ratios one at .05 or 50% lot coverage with an associated lot area of 7,200 Sq. Ft. with a minimum floor area per dwelling unit of 512 Sq. Ft. or 0.7 or 70% lot coverage with an associated lot area of 6,600 Sq. Ft. and a minimum floor area per dwelling unit of 450 per dwelling unit.

Staff intentionally included the R-1 Development Densities to base a comparison, as we move to a more intensive residential zoning classification one would think the development would become denser as the number of dwelling unit increase per gross acre. This is not the case as the Floor Area Ratio and Minimum Lot size requires two times the lot area per duplex than a single family dwelling, so the facts show that an increase in density from R-1 to R-2 within the City of Terre Haute reduces Urban Density. Unlike the case for new suburban sprawl developments within the Vigo County urban fringe where each duplex has a minimum required lot area of 7,000 Sq. Ft. or 3,500 Sq. Ft. per unit. The note below Table 8 (Exhibit A) states no new Two-family dwelling in any district shall be less than 900 Sq. Ft. and associated lot shall be greater than 6.600 Sq. Ft. Using the Floor Area Ratio Table staff would advise a developer wanting to construct a duplex at the 70% density ratio, he or she would be required to have 900 Sq. Ft. of floor area (450 Sq. Ft. per unit) and 13,200 Sq. Ft. of lot area, (6,600 Sq. Ft. per unit) as outline in the table. What is really disquieting is the next table which is titled the Minimum Lot Area and Floor Area (for dwellings). In this table single family dwellings must have a minimum lot area of 5,500 Sq. Ft, and a Two-Family dwelling requires a minimum lot area of 6,600 Sq. Ft.

(1) The approval will not be injurious to the public health, safety, morals, and general welfare of the community.

Staff Finding: Staff finds an approval will not be injurious to the public health, safety, morals, and general welfare of the community. The Comprehensive Zoning Ordinance for the City of Terre Haute implies two densities for 7,220 Sq. Ft. or 6,600 Sq. Ft. with one clause requiring 6,600 Sq. Ft. per unit or an alternative statement requiring 6,600 Sq. Ft. per Two-Family dwelling. The petitioners' average lot area for the 17 lots subdivision is 9,284 Sq. Ft. The smallest lot within the proposed development is 6,757 Sq. Ft., which is 157 Sq. Ft. greater than the minimums set by the F.A.R.

(2) The proposed use will not injure or adversely affect the use or value of other property in the immediate area in a substantially adverse manner; and,

Staff Finding: Staff finds the use and value of the adjacent properties will not be affected in an adverse manner. Adequate light, space, and air are available to this site. The proposed development is consistent with the existing uses and densities that have been established within this area. Using the Section 26 Township 12 N. Range 9 W. as a unit of measurement to gauge the size of the established lot and parcels; the average lot area is 7508 Sq. Ft. and the average parcel area 9203 Sq. Ft. Using the average parcel area as the bases for comparison the petitioner average lot area is 81 Sq. Ft. larger than the average parcel within the section. Exhibits C and D are choropleth maps which depict a range of natural breaks within the dataset of lot and parcel sizes in Sq. Ft. Using the unit of measurement 93% of all the lots fall within the 1,358 to 10,062 Sq. Ft. break, and 66% of all the parcels fall within the 4,055 to 9,037 Sq. Ft break.

(3) The strict application of the terms of the ordinance would result in an unnecessary hardship in the use of the property

Staff Finding: Staff finds there is a hardship created by the code. This hardship is a codification error, which lists the product of the requirement 6,600 Sq. Ft. not the factor 3,300 Sq. Ft. per dwelling unit (D.U). All 16 buildable lots exceed the minimum 6,600 Sq. Ft. Taking the gross lot area of 157,826 within the subdivision and using the minimums lot size requirements from Exhibit B, the petitioner could build 29 single-family dwelling with a 5,500 Sq. Ft. lot and 24 duplex's at 6,600 Sq. Ft. at total of 48 units. The petitioners' propose lots are above the required minimum lot area and the small unit proposed is twice the required floor area per dwelling unit as required by code.

RECOMMENDATION: Staff offers a favorable recommendation on the variance request. Staff will work will the City Legal Department and City Council to resolve this issue within the text of the Comprehensive Zoning Ordinance for the City of Terre Haute.

Vigo County Subdivision Control Ordinance Chapter 10, Lot Specifications A. 1, b.

- A. General Requirements.
- 1. Plats. In addition to the requirements established herein, all subdivision plats shall comply with the following rules, laws, and regulations:
- a. All applicable statutory provisions;
- b. Any local zoning ordinances, building and housing codes, and all other applicable laws of the appropriate jurisdictions in effect;

City of Terre Haute Comprehensive Zoning Ordinance development standards for Residential Land Uses

Sec. 10-185 Floor Area Ratio, Maximum. The floor area ratio for a building on a lot shall be calculated as defined in Sec. 10-136 h. and shall be limited by the F.A.R. District in which said lot is incorporated as shown on the zoning maps. Any principal building F.A.R. factor may be less than or equal to the F.A.R. District in which it is located but may not exceed said factor. (Ord. No. 1, 1967, § 1131.06, 7-6-67)

Sec. 10-186 Floor Area, Minimum. See Table 8 in Appendix. (Ord. No. 1, 1967, § 1131.07, 7-6-67)

Sec. 10-187 Lot Size Minimum. See Table 8 in Appendix. (Ord. No. 1, 1967, § 1131.08,

7-6-67)

Ryan G. Wickens

Vigo County

Department of Area Planning

812-462-3354

Exhibit A

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TABLE 8
iv) Zoning and Subdivision Regulations

	Minimum L	ot and Floor Area Requirements (for d	wellings)
Zone	F.A.R.	Floor Area/D.U. in Square Feet	Min. Lot
	-		Area/D.U. in
			Square Feet
R-1	0.3	1100	7200*
	0,5	768	6600*
R-2	0.5	512	7200*
	0.7*	450	6600*
R-3	0.7	512	1000
	2.0	.512	500
	4.0	450	500
	6.0	384	100
	8.0	384	100
R-T	0.3	181	4000
C-l	0.5	768 (Only when accessory to commercial)	3300
C-6	0.7	768	3300
	0.9	768	3300
C-2	ALL	No New Dwelling Units Permitted	
C-3	0.9	512 (Only when accessory to commercial)	1000
	2.0	512	1000
C-4	ALL	No New Dwelling Units Permitted	
C-5	0.9	288 Apartment Units Only	NONE
	2.0	288	NONE
	6.0	288	NONE
	10	288	NONE
M-1, M-2	ALL	No New Dwelling Units Permitted	
M-P			
O-1	ALL	No New Dwelling Units Permitted	1
O-2	0.1	1200	43,560 (1 ACRE)

^{*}Since 1970

NOTES: No new single family dwelling in any district shall be less than 768 square feet and associated lots shall be greater than 6600 sq. ft. No new two-family dwelling in any district shall be less than 900 sq. ft. and associated lot shall be greater than 6600 sq. ft.

All floor area listed in this table is the net livable area per D.U.

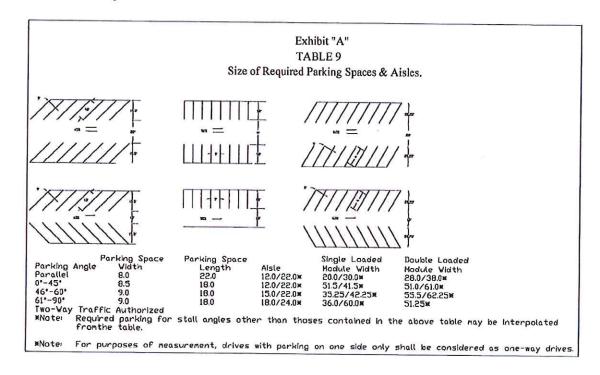
Exhibit B

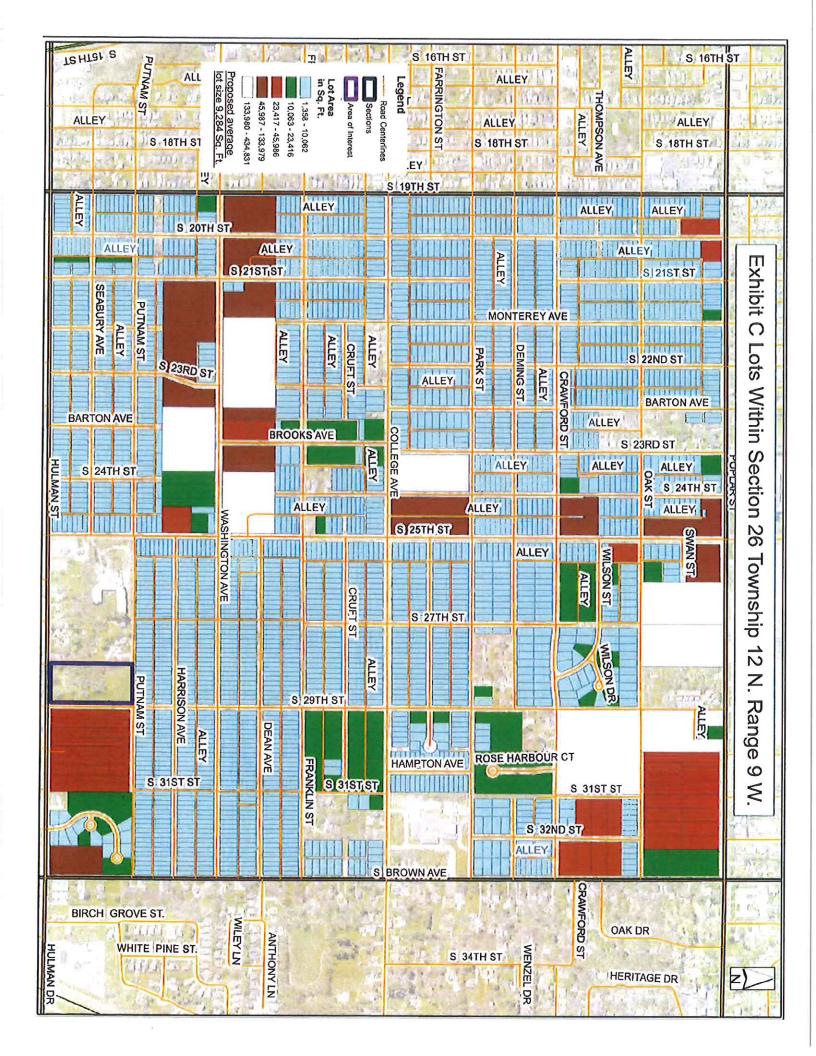
MINIMUM LOT AND FLOOR AREA REQUIREMENTS (FOR DWELLINGS)

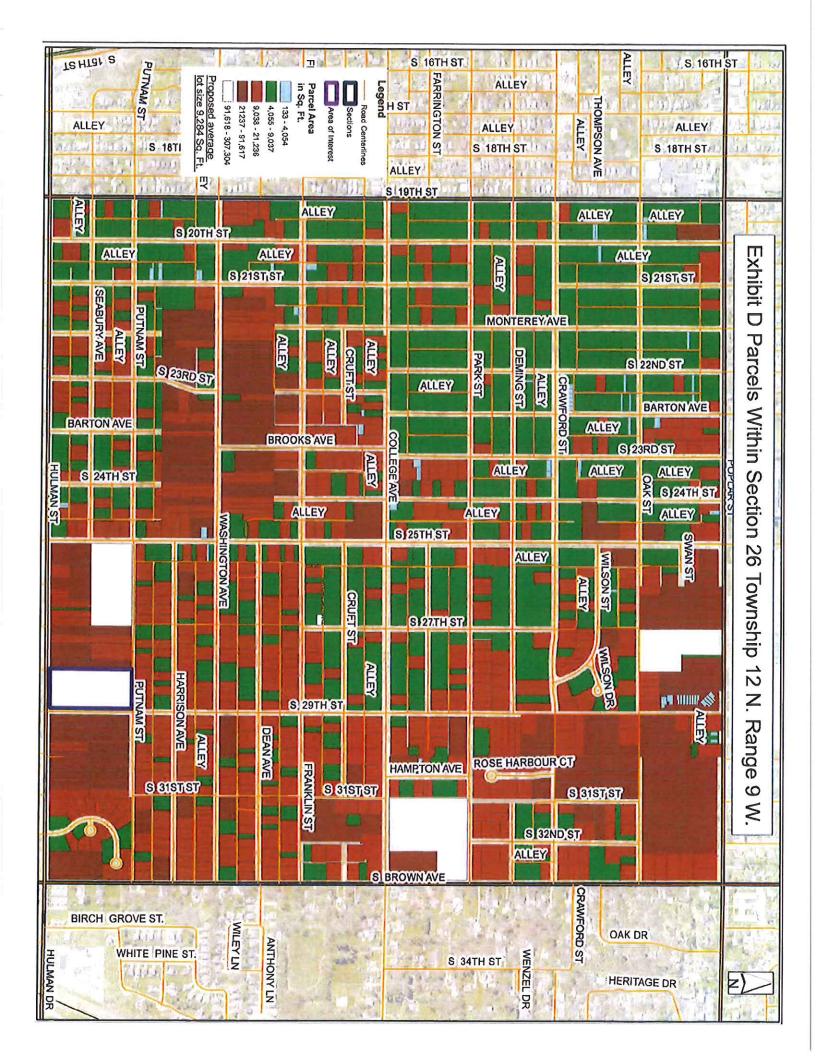
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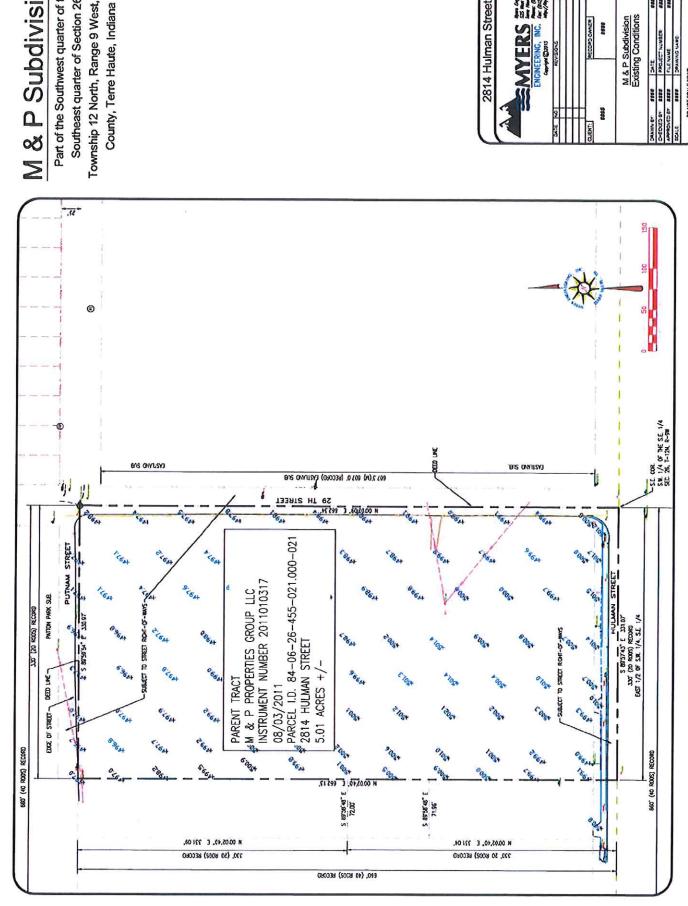
Type of Development	Both Sewer * Public Water Available to be Used	Neither Sewer nor Public Water Available	Sewer Only	Public Water Only
Single-Family	50' A.L.W.*	100' A.L.W.*	60' A.L.W.*	90' A.L.W.*
	5,500 Sq. Ft.	20,000 Sq. Ft.	10,000 Sq. Ft	20,000 Sq. Ft.
Two-Family	50' A.L.W.*	110' A.L.W.*	70' A.L.W.*	100' A.L.W.*
	6,600 Sq. Ft.	22,000 Sq. Ft.	10,000 Sq. Ft.	20.000 Sq. Ft.

*A.L.W. - Average Lot Width

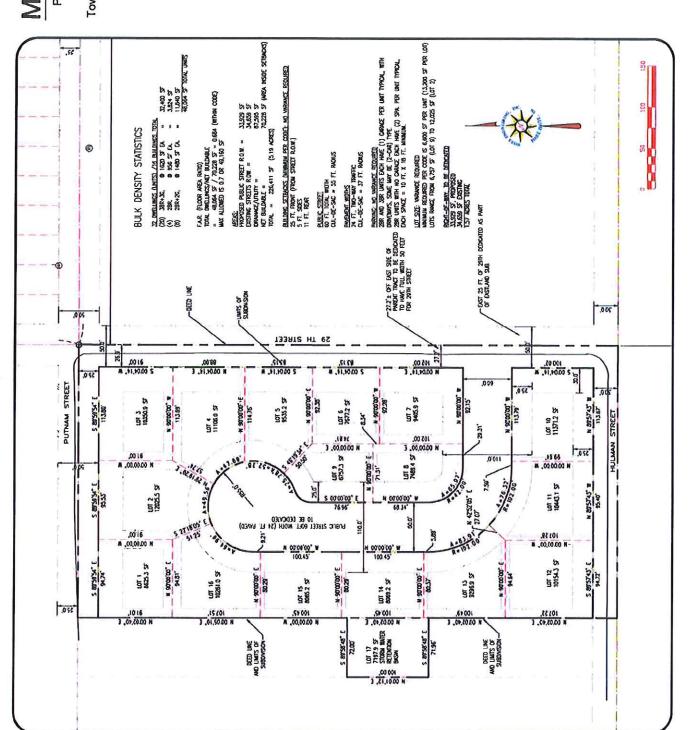




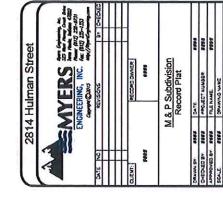




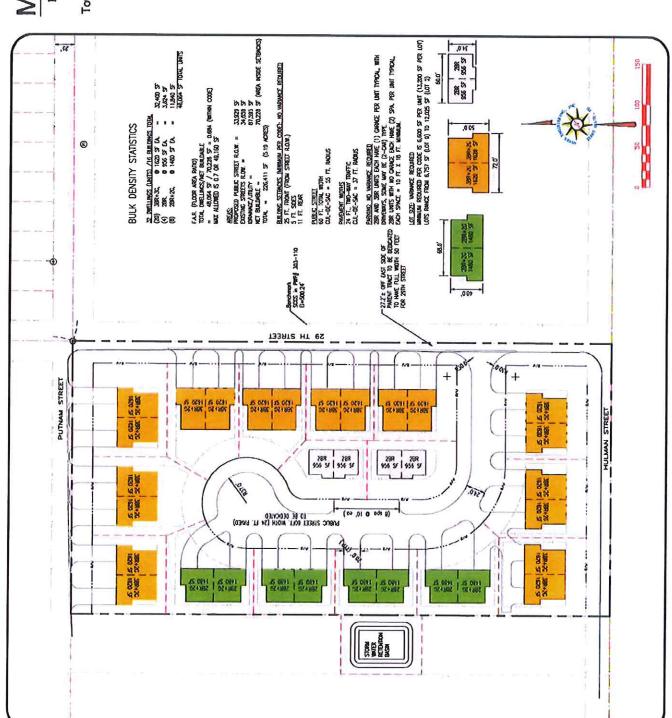
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Lot 1
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Lot 15
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Lot 16
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Lot 17
          7197 sf Non-buildable - storm water retention
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Receipt

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Board of Zoning Appeals CITY OF TERRE HAUTE, INDIANA

APPLICATION IS HEREBY MADE TO THE BOARD OF ZONING APPEALS FOR VARIANCE(S) AND SPECIAL USES(S) AS FOLLOWS:

Building Line Setback:					
Off-Street Parking Spaces:					
Other Variance(s), or Special Use(S): Minimum Lot Size Variance					
Location: 2814 Hulman Street, Terre Haute, IN 4					
Sketch Attached: Yes					
Official Description of Property (From Deeds):	See attached Deeds				
Lot Number(s):					
Block Number: N/A					
Subdivision: N/A Quarter Section: 26 Township: 12 Range: 9					
Quarter Section: 26 Township: 12 Range: 9					
Present Use Zoning: R-1 Single Family Residence	e District				
Proposed Use Zoning: <u>N/A</u>					
Owners of Property: M & P Properties Group LL	<u>.C</u>				
Lot Dimensions: Width Denth Area	sa ft (on Site Plan)				
Structure Size:					
Structure Area: sq ft Storage	Height:				
Structure Size: Structure Area: sq ft Storage B/L Setbacks: Street Interior Rear Petitioner Seeks Variance(s) or Special Use(s)	Accessory				
Petitioner Seeks Variance(s) or Special Use(s)	for the following reason(s): Requests				
a variance from the required minimum lot size	of 13,200 square feet to an average				
lot minimum lot size of 9284 square feet as sho	wn by the attached Exhibit "A".				
Petitioner does not believe this will cause a pro	blem due to benefits the proposed				
construction will bring to the area.					
Respectfully submitted thisday of Februar	ry, 2016.				
M & P Properties Group LLC					
By: Mike Pick, Member					
By:					
Mike Pick, Member					
CONTRACT					
CONTACT Pishand I Shorlay II	Wine County Anna Diamites Dest				
Richard J. Shagley II Vigo County Area Planning Dept.					
Wright, Shagley & Lowery, P.C. 159 Oak Street					
500 Ohio St., PO Box 9849 Terre Haute, IN 47807					
Terre Haute, IN 47808 (812) 462-3354 (812) 232-3388					
(X12) 212=11XX					

Note: The property owner is responsible for determining if "Subdivision Covenants" or "Deed Restrictions" are greater than the Zoning Ordinance Regulations and that Board approval for variances on any requirement of the Zoning Regulations DOES NOT release the property owner from compliance with those covenants or restrictions.

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WARRANTY DEED

2011010317 HD \$18.6 08/03/2011 11:23:48A 2 PGS NANCY S. ALLSUP \$18.00 VIGO County Recorder IN Recorded as Presented

THIS INDENTURE WITNESSETH, MELINDA D. MYERS and RANDALL ROY MYERS, competent adults, ("Grantors") of <u>Brazoria</u> County, Texas, and <u>Norfolk City</u> County, <u>Virginia</u>, respectively, CONVEY AND WARRANT to M & P PROPERTIES GROUP LLC, ("Grantee") for the sum of One and no/100 Dollars (\$1.00) and other valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, an undivided one-half (1/2) interest in and to the following described real estate in Vigo County, in the State of Indiana:

> The East half (1/2) of the following described parcel of land, to-wit: Commencing at a point on the South line of the Southeast Quarter of Section Number Twenty-six (26) in Township Number Twelve (12) North of Range Nine (9) West, forty (40) rods East of the Southwest corner of said quarter section, running thence North forty (40) rods, thence East forty (40) rods, thence South forty (40) rods to the South line of said quarter section, thence West forty (40) rods along said line to the place of beginning. (common address - 2814 Hulman Street, Terre Haute, IN 47803)

Subject to easements, leases, rights of way, and other matters of record.

SUBJECT to real estate taxes proreted to date of dead.

STATE OF Virginia

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Granto	ors have executed this deed this \underline{B} day of July, $\underbrace{\$}_{0}$	~~ ~~
	Melinda D. Myers Duga 73	acceptan
	Randall Roy Myers	ENIEHED FOH IAXAIION to final acceptance for transfer
STATE OF TEXAS)	42
COUNTY OF Brazzoria) SS:)	
Before me, a Notary Public in and for	r said County and State, personally appeared Melinda D. Myers, a c	:ompetent
adult, who acknowledged the execution of the representations therein contained are true.	e foregoing Warranty Deed, and who having been duly swom stated	d that any
Witness my hand and Notarial Seal to	his _ Sth day of July, 2011.	
My Commission Expires	$\sim \sim \sim 10^{-1}$	
November 2 2014	(Sola Holbs	
Resident of Primary (2) County TX	Notani Public	

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TARA L. HOBBS Notary Public, State of Texas

My Commission Expires 11-07-2014 Merureseesees

COUNTY OF Abrill City) SS:)		
competent adult, who acknowledged the ex-	or said County and State, personally a ecution of the foregoing Warranty Dee		Million .
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This instrument was prepared by Patrick L. Duffy, BAUER & DUFFY, 605 Ohio Street, Suite 301, Terre Haute, Indiana, 47807

Send Tax Statements to: 3396 Golfview Ct., Terre Haute, IN H7902 Grantees address: Same

I affirm, under the penalties for perjury, that I have taken reasonable care to redact each social security number in this document, unless required by law.

AUG 03 2011

08/03/2011 11:23:48A 1 PGS NANCY S. ALLSUP VIGO County Recorder Recorded as Presented

Jing m Aguar VIGO COUNTY AUDITOR PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE'S DEED

PATRICK L. DUFFY, as Co-Personal Representative of the Estate of MARIE G. ZENOR, deceased, by order of the Vigo Superior Court, under Cause No. 84D02-1105-ES-4001, dated the 24th day of June, 2011, and for good and sufficient consideration, conveys to M & P PROPERTIES GROUP LLC, an undivided one-half (1/2) interest in and to the following described real estate in Vigo County, State of Indiana, to wit:

> The East half (1/2) of the following described parcel of land, to-wit: Commencing at a point on the South line of the Southeast Quarter of Section Number Twenty-six (26) in Township Number Twelve (12) North of Range Nine (9) West, forty (40) rods East of the Southwest corner of said quarter section, running thence North forty (40) rods, thence East forty (40) rods, thence South forty (40) rods to the South line of said quarter section, thence West forty (40) rods along said line to the place of beginning. (common address - 2814 Hulman Street, Terre Haute, IN 47803)

Subject to easements, leases, rights of way, and other matters of record.

SUBJECT to real estate taxes prorated to date of deed.

Grantor states that the Estate of Marie G. Zenor, deceased, is not subject to Federal Estate Tax and sufficient assets are available to pay the Indiana Inheritance Tax.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the said Patrick L. Duffy, as Co-personal Representative of the Estate of Marie G. Zenor, deccased, has hereunto set his hand and seal this 132 day of July, 2011.

Se-Personal Representative of the Estate of Marie G. Zenor, Deceased

Before me, a Notary Public in and for said County and State, personally appeared Patrick L. Duffy, Co-personal Representative of the Estate of Marie G. Zenor, deceased, who acknowledged the execution of the foregoing Personal Representative's Deed to be his voluntary act and deed.

WITNESS my hand and Notarial Seal this 1300 day of July, 2011. My Commission Expires: June 15, 2016

Resident of Vigo County, IN

STATE OF INDIANA COUNTY OF VIGO

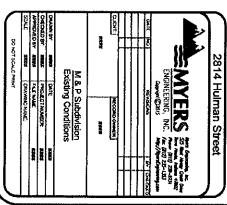
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ed by: Patrick L. Duffy, BAUER & DUFFY, 603 Ohio Street, Suite 301, Terro Haule, IN 47807

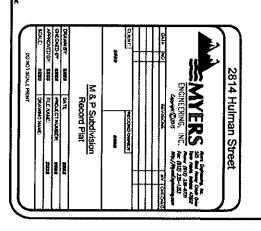
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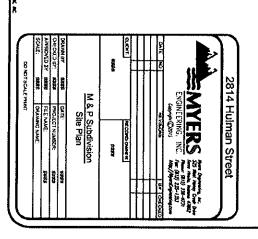
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P Subdivision

Township 12 North, Range 9 West, Vigo Part of the Southwest quarter of the Southeast quarter of Section 26, County, Terre Haute, Indiana

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CITY OF TERRE HAUTE BOARD OF ZONING APPEALS

Terre Haute, Indiana 47807

Bill Treadway, Chairman
Paul Clapp, Vice-Chairman/Secretary
Jeff Ford, Member
John Collett, Member
Jason Saavedra, Member

There will be a meeting of the Terre Haute City Board of Zoning Appeals at 9:00 a.m. on Wednesday March 2nd, 2016. The meeting will be held in the Administrative Conference Room located in the Vigo County Commissioners Office located in the Vigo County Annex Building at 650 South 1st street, Terre Haute, IN 47807.

AGENDA

- A. Call to Order
- B. Roll Call
- C. Consideration of Previous Minutes, for the February 3rd.
- D. Old Business

No Old Business

E. New business

BZA Case 02-16 V. 2814 Hulman Street M & P Properties Group LLC.

F. Communication Received From The Public (other than agenda items)

No outside communication received

G. Board of Zoning Appeals Discussion

H.	Adjou	rnment_		
Paul (Clapp,	Secretary	,	

If questions, please contact the Vigo County Area Planning Department at 462-3354 or e-mail at ryan.wickens@vigocounty.in.gov



CITY OF TERRE HAUTE BOARD OF ZONING APPEALS Terre Haute, Indiana 47807

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Date: February 8, 2016 LEGAL ADVERTISING DEPARTMENT TRIBUNE-STAR PUBLISHING CO. 222 S. 7th STREET TERRE HAUTE, INDIANA, 47807

To Whom It May Concern:

Please publish the following legal ad February 11th, 2015. Bill to City of Terre Haute Board of Zoning Appeals and mail to: Area Planning Department, 159 Oak Street, Terre Haute, IN 47807.

City of Terre Haute Board of Zoning Appeal
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THERE WILL BE A PUBLIC HEARING BEFORE THE CITY
OF TERRE HAUTE BOARD OF ZONING APPEALS, IN THE ADMINISTRATIVE
CONFERENCE ROOM LOCATED IN THE VIGO COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OFFICE
LOCATED IN THE VIGO COUNTY ANNEX BUILDING AT 650 SOUTH 1ST STREET.
BEGINNING AT 9:00 A.M. ON MARCH 2ND, 2015 FOR THE FOLLOWING CASE(S);

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